

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Ernst MURTHUM, et al.

Application No.: New

Filed: September 26, 2006

**For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CLEANING A THICK MATTER
DELIVERY PIPE**

Attorney Docket : 3827.152

Customer Number: 30448

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**Mail Stop PCT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claim are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.